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ROBEY LEAD 195; SHONLEY WINNER

BARROCK REELECTED COLLECTOR BY 374 MAJORITY

CITY VOTES TOMORROW ON COMMISSION FORM

Little Interest Being Taken Either Way—All School Levies Were Adopted

A. S. Robey was elected mayor of Maryville yesterday by a majority of 195. He and the new councilmen will take their offices at the meeting of the city council next Friday night. Frank E. Orcutt from the first, L. L. Maier from the second, James F. Colby from the third, James Smith from the fourth, short term, and Roy Martin for the long term in the fourth, are the new aldermen.

John Shonley was elected city marshal, getting a total vote of 412 to 344 for McDonald and 313 for Tilton. Elmer Barrock got the largest majority of the day, with a margin over Ed Godsey for collector of 374. A total vote of 1,673 was cast, which is within 13 of the total vote of the local option election.

The detailed vote by wards is given elsewhere on this page. The table was a part of the election extra which was issued immediately after the final returns were available. This extra was sent to all the towns, the rural routes from Maryville, and the larger part of the single wrappers which could be held until the late mails.

In this special edition Mayor-Elect A. S. Robey made the following statement to the voters of Maryville:

"Thanks to the voters of Maryville who have given me their support in again electing me as mayor of their city. I reiterate my statements made before the election and will work for the welfare and upbuilding of our fair city. I greatly appreciate your efforts in my behalf. Thank you."

Mayor U. S. Wright was busy at his desk in the city hall today, preparing to step out of office Friday night. He seemed and professed to be in the best of spirits, and when asked how he felt about the results yesterday, said:

"I am congratulating myself on being relieved of a responsibility in most ways irksome. I am not so sure, however, that Maryville is to be congratulated. It is certainly well known that I did not want this place and refused steadfastly to make the race until it was perfectly evident that no one else would. I am fearful of what the effect will be upon Maryville's local option conditions. But as for me personally, I am headed for the farm with a joyful heart."

School Levy Passed.

The usual school levy carried by a vote of 365 to 67 at the election yesterday. James B. Robinson and J. R. Brink were elected as members of the school board, Mr. Robinson receiving a total vote of 457 and Mr. Brink 444. Emmett Scott received one vote in the third ward.

L. M. Grems was honored by friends in the fourth ward by several votes for the short term for alderman. In the main the election passed off quietly, the two instances of disturbance being a man on parole and another who had served a penitentiary sentence attempted to vote.

Another Election Tomorrow.

The city of Maryville will hold another election tomorrow to consider a change to the commission form of government. The general opinion is that the proposition will fail heavily, as nothing except sporadic publicity through the papers has been done on behalf of the movement.

All three of the Commercial club committee who presented the petition calling for the election and persisted in having it called in the face of the fact that no campaign could be held so soon after the city election, left this morning for the state Republican convention. They are Fred Hull, Ed Curfman and J. S. Shinabargar.

The same judges, clerks, places of polls and times of closing will be used and observed tomorrow as were in effect yesterday. They were selected by E. E. Tilton, city marshal, since the city council did not do so at the last meeting. It is expected that a very light vote will be polled.

Edgar Albert will arrive this evening enroute from Los Angeles, on a trip east, and will be the guest of his sister, Miss Ada Albert, and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Rowley several days.

MARCH 1.9 DEGREES WARMER

Month Was Drier Than Usual, With Precipitation of 1.40—Nineteen Clear Days.

March, 1916, was 1.9 degrees warmer than the average month for the twenty-five years of weather records in Maryville. The mean temperature for the month here, according to the government records of J. R. Brink, was 39. The 25-year mean was 37.1.

The month was also drier than usual, the precipitation being 1.40. This is due largely to the small amount of snow. There were nineteen clear and twelve cloudy days during March.

MARSHALL BY 2,019

REILLY AND DEMOCRATS LOSE IN ST. JOSEPH.

JUDGE ALLEE IS VICTOR

Leads Ticket by More Than 5,000 as Rebuke to Crandell Domination.

BULLETIN.

St. Joseph, April 5.—Marshall's majority in the race for mayor yesterday is 2,019, according to the latest count. Judge James T. Allee was elected on the Democratic ticket by 2,395 majority, leading his own ticket by almost 5,000 votes.

Elliot Marshall was re-elected mayor of St. Joseph yesterday, leading his ticket by a nice margin, and defeating Barney Reilly, the Democratic candidate, by more than 2,000 votes. Three other Republicans were elected: W. S. Willard for auditor, Frank H. Allen for treasurer, and Ernest M. Lindsay for the council. Two Democrats were elected: James T. Allee for police judge, and Joseph L. Marshall for the council. Judge Allee, who defeated Perry A. Brubaker for police judge, went over by the biggest margin scored in the whole election, defeating his opponent by nearly 2,500 votes.

The election of Marshall by his large majority is taken not so much as an indication of opposition to Reilly as it is as a protest to the methods employed in the recent primaries, and to indicate the public feeling against the alleged "Crandell machine."

James Taylor Allee, for eight years police judge, ran far ahead of his ticket. He was not looked upon as a Crandell candidate. The general feeling among the voters was that Allee was named by the convention in order to make votes for the ticket. His large vote is taken to indicate his popularity with the voters, and as an additional protest against the Crandell faction of the party.

LUGAR PLEADS GUILTY

RESTAURANT PROPRIETOR FINED $50 FOR GAMING.

Williams and Pennington Fined $25—Nolle Prosse for Rice and Jess Shinabargar.

Marion Lugar pleaded guilty in circuit court this morning to permitting gaming on his premises. He was fined $50 and costs by Judge Charles S. Mayer. Ira Williams, and Jack Pennington who were among the gamblers arrested and fined by the city, also pleaded guilty and were fined $25 and costs.

The gaming charges against Dudley and Jess Shinabargar were nolle prossed by Prosecuting Attorney W. G. Sawyers. It is understood that these two men had agreed to turn state's evidence and that it was this which caused the restaurant proprietor to plead guilty.

The damage suit against the C. B. & Q. by John Nunnelly was settled by agreement.

Smyrna Bombarded by Allies.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Athens, April 5.—Smyrna, on the coast of Asia Minor, has again been bombarded by the allied warships, and Forts Satski and St. George are being destroyed.

Beverly Bayne
AND
Ruth Stonehouse
in "THE CRIMSON WING"
SIX ACTS THURSDAY
FERN, 5 and 10 cents
Charles Chaplin, Saturday
TONIGHT A GOOD PROGRAM

COUNTY ELECTIONS

ALL TOWNS ELECT BOARDS AND SCHOOL DIRECTORS.

LEVIES ARE ALL ADOPTED

Strong Vote in Favor of Better Education—Elkhorn Into Graham Consolidated District.

The results of the different town and school board meetings in the various towns of Nodaway county is given in the following:

At Parnell C. E. Bishop, H Day, P. E. Hood, L. O. Nye and Loren Long were elected members of the town board. W. N. Morgan and M. F. Pope were made school directors.

The proposition to include Elkhorn school in the Graham consolidated district was carried by 52 to 5. Dr. E. L. Morgan, James Lowrance and W. H. Morris were elected school directors. The town board of Graham were James Loffer, Frank Miller, E. W. Geyer, Fred Crawford and Floyd Long.

Ravenwood citizens elected the following town board: Hosiah Wright, Walter Davis, W. Oglesby, S. Ralston and Fred Lyle. The school directors are W. A. Conn, D. M. Bishop and J. A. Goodson. A levy of 100 cents for school purposes was carried.

Clearmont chose the following men on the town board: L. E. Morell, A. T. Skeed, W. M. Humphrey, A. H. Kelley and W. M. Pence. The school directors named were Sam Davidson and James Bailey, both being re-elected. A levy of $1 for school purposes and 20 cents for a building fund were carried.

Clyde elected Joseph Wagner, A. Gremley, William Kill, S. A. Enis and Mr. Sorenson. R. W. Graham was re-elected as a member of the school board. Bert Thompson was elected a member of the school board at Bedison.

The town board at Conception for the coming term are: James Jamison, E. Sage, E. F. Shafer, John Luke and J. Henry. W. Hinton, J. Jamison and J. Henry were elected members of the Conception Junction school board. A new high school building will be built this year if possible, a 50-cent levy for building purposes being adopted.

A. F. Stitt Mayor at Burlington.

A. F. Stitt was elected mayor of Burlington Junction. Loren Smith was made police judge; Calvin Reavis, collector, and John Thacker, city marshal. The aldermen are: First, E. E. Alvis; second, Dr. C. E. Cossins; third, G. L. Yaple and W. E. Nicholas.

The school board members elected yesterday in Burlington Junction were W. W. Jones and Walter Mendenhall. The levy carried heavily.

Elmo adopted $3,500 bond issue to build two new rooms to their school building. The vote was 59-16. A levy of 25 cents for repairs was adopted in addition to the regular levies. Harve Kinman and Ike Weddle were elected members of the school board. The new Elmo town board is George Shoptaugh, John Woods, Fred Dain, Will Beaver and George Clardy.

Guilford re-named S. E. Jobe, F. L. Henderson and Ira Noland, and elected two former members, Charles Reynolds and E. C. Starin upon their town board. The school directors, Andrew McClintock and M. C. Noland were re-elected.

New School for Hopkins.

Additional levies make the board at Hopkins hopeful that a new school building can be built this summer. Dr. H. F. Maxwell and A. F. Mutti are the new members of the board elected yesterday. C. E. Donlin was elected mayor. L. W. Shaffer was elected as

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EDWARDS BY 8,377

MAYOR HENRY JOST CARRIED ONLY TWO WARDS.

MUCH CORRUPT POLITICS

Each Side is Accusing Opponents—Police Captain and Commissioners to Jail.

BULLETIN.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City, April 5.—A final count of the city election here places the majority of George E. Edwards over Henry Jost of 8,377. The present mayor carried only two wards. Edwards' total vote was 31,004 and Jost's 22,627.

Kansas City, April 5.—A political battle of great intensity, which featured the most turbulent municipal election this city has witnessed in many years, resulted late yesterday in the placing in the county jail of James S. Lapsley and Col. Fred A. Lamb, police commissioners, on charges of contempt of court after city patrolmen had arrested more than 300 persons, all of whom were held at police headquarters for "investigation."

The commissioners were remanded to jail by Judge Clarence A. Burney of the circuit court because they had ignored writs of habeas corpus issued by Judge Burney that would have freed the arrested men. Previous to their incarceration, Capt. Thomas J. Flahive, acting chief of police, had been released from the jail by Judge Ralph S. Latshaw of the criminal court after having been locked up several hours. Capt. Flahive had been sent to jail on charges similar to those against his superiors.

The drag net that crowded the station with men and a few women whom opponents of Henry L. Jost, Democrat, candidate for re-election, said were nothing more than political prisoners, was put into action shortly after 3 o'clock this morning and continued throughout the day. The jail connected with headquarters was soon filled and the various prisoners were crowded together with barely more than standing room wherever they could be placed. Each person arrested was booked for investigation and efforts of attorneys and workers to communicate with them failed.

Many of those arrested, it was declared, had been wearing buttons declaring for George H. Edwards, the Republican candidate for mayor. The two police commissioners placed in jail are Democrats. Judge Burney likewise is a Democrat.

The police commissioners were released on bond at 7 o'clock tonight. Eighteen of the 300 men arrested were released on bond a half hour earlier in Justice C. J. Welsh's court after charges of carrying concealed weapons had been placed against them. They left the court room saying they were going to the polls before it closed at 7 o'clock. Among the eighteen were Eugene Sullivan, representative in the state legislature, a Democrat. The other men arrested had not been released at the time the polls closed.

Chief of Police Hamill was removed from active charge of the policemen at the polls. He denounced this in an interview in the Kansas City Times as an attempt to steal the election by Mayor Jost and the police commissioners. A denial of the interview was issued by the chief, but the reporter and the city editor signed affidavits of the truth of their article. The Star men also gave affidavits that Hamill had said that he was forced to sign the denial. This was also denied at headquarters.

The Vote by Wards

	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	4th.	Tot.	Maj.
For Mayor—						
A. S. Bobey	135	154	90	255	634	195
U. S. Wright ...	81	95	141	122	439	
For City Marshal—						
John Shonley ...	81	96	40	195	412	
Ed McDonald ..	52	68	105	119	344	
Eph E. Tilton...	87	83	86	57	313	
For Collector—						
Elmer Barrock..	144	166	131	270	711	374
Ed Godsey	70	77	98	92	337	

City Councilmen

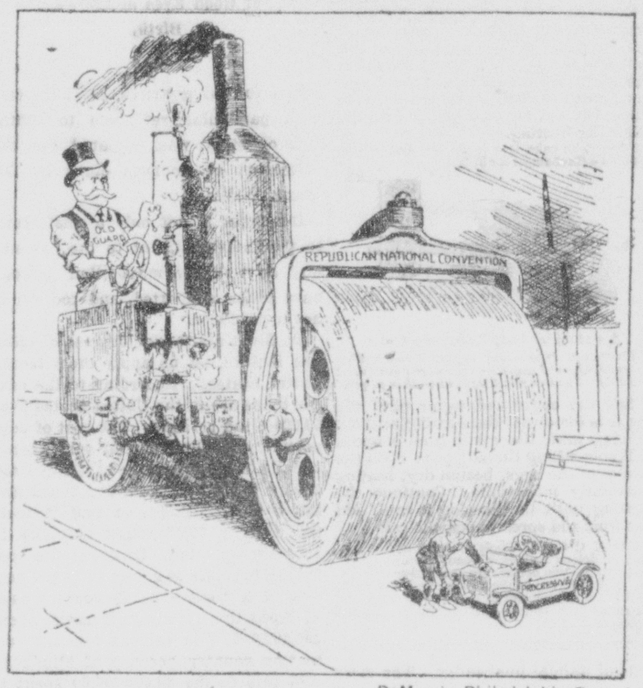
FIRST WARD—Frank E. Orcutt, 213 (no opposition).

SECOND WARD—Maier, 103; Diss, 96; Reavis, 46. Maier wins.

THIRD WARD—Colby, 181; Speirs, 50. Colby wins by 131.

FOURTH WARD—(Short) Smith, 254; Brewer, 107. Smith wins by 147. (Long) Martin, 241; Tindall, 124. Martin wins by 117.

SAME OLD ROLLER.



—DeMar in Philadelphia Record.

MOBERLY FOR SHERIFF

ANNOUNCEMENT FOR DEMOCRAT NOMINATION TODAY.

Former City Marshal for Two Terms and Ex-Deputy Sheriff in Active Campaign.

E. C. (Fatty) Moberly announces today his candidacy for the Democratic nomination of sheriff and will make an active campaign. Mr. Moberly is well known here and over the county. He has served two terms as city marshal of Maryville and has given satisfaction, being courageous and always enforcing the law.

E. C. MOBERLY
Who Announces Candidacy for Sheriff Today.

Mr. Moberly has also served as deputy sheriff. He is well fitted for the office he seeks. He has many friends and is very popular.

He was born August 22, 1883, near Pickering, on a farm, and lived there until he became of age. He came to Maryville twelve years ago and was the fire driver for two years and was elected chief of police in April, 1912, without any opposition, and again re-elected in 1914 by a majority of over 100, and held that position until he resigned, February 1, 1916, to become a member of the jitney firm of Diss, Cummins & Moberly.

PACKERS IN COMBINE.

No Competition in Buying Cattle or Hogs.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, April 5.—Edward Burke, vice president of the American National Stock association, testifying before the house committee, asserted that the competition of buying cattle and hogs has been eliminated. The packing business of the country is in the hands of five companies, and most of it in the hands of two companies, Armour and Swift.

German Squadron Off Norway.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Copenhagen, April 5.—Politika states that the German squadron has been seen off the west coast of Norway.

Mrs. R. G. Sanders is a visitor in St. Joseph today.

THE WEATHER

Unsettled tonight; Thursday partly cloudy.

U.S. MUST HAVE RAILWAY

FUNSTON TELLS WASHINGTON NEED IS URGENT.

Asks War Department to Go After Consent—Dodd's Pursuit Killed Many Horses.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

San Antonio, April 5.—General Funston is urging Washington to secure from Carranzistas the free use of the Mexican railways for the American troops attempting to capture Villa under Pershing. He sent a warning to the war department that the success in the hunt depends upon the use of railways.

Columbus, N. M., April 5.—General Dodds' advance cavalry so hotly pursued Villa that dead horses and mules dot the trail for miles, according to advices received today. Dodd adopted a policy of killing all animals that cannot keep up to prevent their falling in the hands of Villa. Orders to speed up remounts were received.

Gavira Postpones Executions.

El Paso, April 5.—For some unexplained reason Gavira today indefinitely postponed execution of three men who had been sentenced to death in plotting revolutionary uprising.

Here's Villa Found Again.

Juarez, April 5.—Mexican authorities declared Villa is five miles from Santa Rosaline. Herrera, they say, is at Bustillos ranch.

MORE ASSESSMENTS RAISED

Country Real Estate Up 10 Per Cent in Lincoln and Monroe—5 in Nodaway and Union.

The equalization board of the county continued its elevating of assessments today. Country real estate was raised 10 per cent in Monroe and Lincoln townships and 5 per cent in Nodaway and Union townships. Cattle in Lincoln and White Cloud townships were raised 20 per cent.

The following changes were made in Polk township: Betsy Coleman, lot in Maryville, $300 to $100; H. B. Meyer, 80 acres, $3,000 to $2,400; Rudolph Neidle, 80 acres $2,200 to $2,400; S. E. Fisher, 80 acres, $2,600 to $2,400; Charlotte Owsley, lot in Maryville, $250 to $100; S. H. Kemp, lots in Maryville, $1,200 to $1,600.

Many changes were made in the assessments of the estate of W. R. Wells in Monroe township. The amount on 344 acres was raised from $5,200 to $7,000; 80 acres, $1,200 to $1,300; 160 acres, $2,500 to $2,600; 80 acres, $960 to $1,300; 91 acres, $1,100 to $1,400; 80 acres, $1,200 to $1,300. A. D. Taylor's 240 acres in Union township was lowered from $2,800 to $1,300.

GERMANY ADMITS SHE SOUGHT PEACE

CHANCELLOR MAKES REMARKABLE SPEECH TODAY.

AMERICAN AGGRESSION NEVER WAS THOUGHT OF

Danish Nation is Raging Over Sinking of Ships—Sussex Sunk by Teuton Torpedo.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Berlin, April 5.—That Germany made peace overtures which were rejected by the allies was admitted in the reichstag today by Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg. It was the most important speech delivered since the war. On September 9 Germany declared her readiness to enter into peace negotiations, but then, as now, the allies declined, said the chancellor.

No Aggression Thought Of.

Germany, neither at this time nor at any future time contemplates aggression against the United States. "I protest against all reports of German hostility against Americans," was another statement made in the reichstag speech today by von Bethmann-Holweg, imperial chancellor. He added that Germany has never contemplated acquisition of territory of any American country.

Three Neutral Ships Sunk.

London, April 5.—German submarines have destroyed four more merchantmen, all unarmed, three belonging to neutral nations. No loss of life accompanied the sinking of the British vessel torpedoed. The victims are the British ship Bendew, Spanish steamer Vigo, Dutch schooner Elsina Halera, and the Norwegian schooner Bell.

Danish People in Raging Mood.

Copenhagen, April 5.—Denmark is raging with anger over the sinking of unarmed Danish ships by German submarines. Not since the war has the government faced such concerted demand for aggressive action as followed the reports of torpedoing neutral ships and of death to the Danish sailors.

Sussex Torpedo Was German.

London, April 5.—Ambassador Page announced today that analysis of the fragments of the torpedo found on the Sussex proved conclusively that they were from the Germans. Fragments have been forwarded to Washington, he also stated.

NOT FREE LUNCH COUNTER

F. P. Reuillard Caught Night Policeman Steve Viles Helping Himself at Midnight.

Night Policeman Steve Viles was caught late last night in the Reuillard store by F. P. Reuillard in the act of preparing a lunch, and was eating an orange at the time he was discovered. Viles went into the store through the back door, which is kept unlocked. Mr. Reuillard, in talking about it today, said:

"The men in the bake shop told me yesterday morning of Viles entering the store and fixing himself a lunch several nights when the store was closed and apparently helping himself. So last night after the store was closed up I remained, and sure enough Viles came through the bake shop and into the front part of the store. After he had taken a drink, he took an orange and was eating it when I turned on the lights. He admitted that he had been in the store a few times late at night. He offered to pay me after he was caught, but the money was refused."

No complaint was filed by Mr. Reuillard against Viles today.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of J. W. McKnight of King City for state senator from the first senatorial district, subject to the action of the Democratic voters in the primary election to be held the first Tuesday in August, 1916.

For Treasurer.

We are hereby authorized to announce the candidacy of Tom Wallace for the Democratic nomination for treasurer, subject to the action of the Primary, August 1.

For Sheriff.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of E. C. Moberly for the Democratic nomination for sheriff of Nodaway county, subject to the action of the primary held August 1.

STOCK FARMS BUILD UP

BEST WAY TO RESTORE DEPLETED SOILS TO STRENGTH

Dean of College of Agriculture Tells Why Change From Grains Should Be Made.

The problem of the American farmer today is how to conserve the fertility of the soil and yet insure a reasonable income. In considering changing from grain farming to the raising of live stock, the Missouri farmer asks himself if this change has been successful in maintaining soil fertility. From the New England states westward to the Dakotas, he sees a trail of once depleted soils reclaimed by substituting dairying and stock farming for exclusive grain farming. The result of profitable systems of live stock farming on even the poorest of soils is to be seen in Holland. Denmark is another example of a country whose soils were becoming depleted by wheat producing but where a system of live stock production conserved the soil fertility.

Permanent successes from exclusive grain farming has not yet been demonstrated, so modern farm practice is showing the importance of the development of animal husbandry. The close relation between the fertility of the soil and keeping of live stock is demonstrated at experiment stations and by the successful farmer. Productiveness of the acre of land is the main factor for which the farmer is everywhere striving. Because the productiveness of the land is maintained and often increased is sufficient reason for the keeping of animals on the farm, not even taking into consideration the increased profit from the live stock farm.

Farm manure is now, and always has been the greatest available resource for maintaining soil fertility on the typical middle west farms. Generally speaking the most prosperous farms of this section today are those on which live stock is a large, if not a chief factor of production.

While the practice of plowing under clover and that of adding straw and stover directly to the soil will unquestionably keep up the humus or vegetable matter supply, such materials are too valuable for the nutrition of animals to be thus employed. At the Missouri agricultural experiment station for two years, the average income of clover pastured off with hogs amounted to $40 per acre.

All such materials as stover, hay, straw, and grass can be profitably marketed through animals, and at least 50 per cent of their soil building value saved and at the same time a considerable profit secured from feeding the animals.—By F. B. Mumford, dean of the College of Agriculture.

How to Cure Colds.

Avoid Exposure and Drafts. Eat Right. Take Dr. King's New Discovery.

Your Cough and Cold begin to get better as soon as you take Dr. King's New Discovery. It is prepared from Pine Tar, healing balsams and mild laxatives. Dr. King's New Discovery kills and expels the cold germs, soothes the irritated throat and allays inflammation. It heals the mucous membrane. Search as you will, you cannot find a better cough and cold remedy than Dr. King's New Discovery. Its use over 45 years is a guarantee of satisfaction.

"From exposure I had a cough and cold combined that nearly put a finish to me. While looking for something to ease the irritation that bothered my throat and lungs, a friend advised "Dr. King's New Discovery." I bought a bottle, the first [illegible] helped and before the first bottle [illegible] used my cold was well."—*G. R. Epa Smithdale, Ark.* At all druggists.

Lady Baltimore Cake

The Most Popular Cake This Season

By Mrs. Janet McKenzie Hill, Editor of the Boston Cooking School Magazine

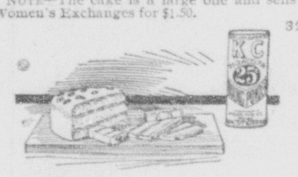
This is considered by many cooking authorities the finest cake that can be made, though in reality it is not at all difficult.

K C Lady Baltimore Cake

One cup butter; 2 cups granulated sugar; 1 cup milk; 1 teaspoonful rose water; 3½ cups flour; 3 level teaspoonfuls K C Baking Powder; whites of 6 eggs, beaten dry.

Cream the butter and beat in the sugar gradually. Sift together, three times, the flour and baking powder, and add to the butter and sugar, alternately with the milk and rose water. Lastly, add the egg whites. Bake in three-layer cake pans. Put the layers together with the following frosting.

NOTE—The cake is a large one and sells at Women's Exchanges for $1.50. 32



Frosting for Lady Baltimore Cake

Three cups granulated sugar; 1 cup boiling water; whites of 3 eggs; 1 cup chopped raisins; 1 cup chopped nut-meats; 5 figs cut in thin slices.

Stir the sugar and water until the sugar is dissolved, then let boil without stirring until the syrup from a spoon will spin a long thread; pour upon the whites of the eggs, beaten dry, beating constantly meanwhile. Continue the beating until the frosting is cold; add the fruit and spread upon the cake.

The K C Cook's Book contains ninety just such delicious recipes,—bread, muffins, cakes and pastry. You can secure a copy *free* by sending the certificate packed in every 25-cent can of K C Baking Powder to the JAQUES MFG. CO., Chicago. Small cans do not contain Cook's Book certificate.

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INFANT BLINDNESS

PREPARED FOR CLUB WOMEN BY DR. FRANK WALLIS.

1 IN 10 IS PREVENTABLE

Technical Advice Given to Make Sure of Good Eyes at Child's Birth.

The following article on blindness with particular reference to infant loss of sight was prepared for the federation of women's clubs by Dr. Frank Wallis:

Blindness is not only a misfortune to the individual, but to the community as well for most blind persons have to be supported, and too, he is not a producer.

To illustrate the importance of these two factors, let us apply them in the United States. According to the census there are in the United States over 50,000 blind persons. The cost of supporting one blind person very economically may be placed at $132.00 annually ($2.00 per week for board and $28.00 for clothing), so that it costs the country $6,600,000.00 annually to care for its blind. Counting the producing capacity of a man $1.20 per day, and of a woman at 40 cents would, at those low figures, represent about $23,600,000.00 as earning capacity lost to this country because of blindness. Add this to the $6,600,000.00 spent in caring for the blind, we have the sum of $23,600,000.00 lost in the United States yearly because of blindness, not counting the untold suffering of the unfortunate victims.

Now when one person out of every ten, or 10.87 per cent of blind people, lose their sight in infancy, through an easily preventable disease, is it not worth while to apply the remedy.

This disease is known as Opthalmia Neonatorium, and causes more blindness than any one cause—which in itself invests it with grave importance, and the importance is greatly enhanced, when it is considered that blindness from this cause means an entire life of blindness; that the disease can be practically always prevented by proper prophylactic measures; and farther, that even after it is developed, early, prompt, energetic and proper treatment will usually bring it to a successful termination, with slight impairment of sight.

The eyes of the infant are infected at the time of birth, or later by dirty or careless handling on the part of the nurse, with unwashed hands which have been attending to the mother, and it should be remembered that these hands may cause inflamation in any eyes, besides the infants, with which they may come in contact.

Furthermore the contageousness of the discharge from the eyes in these cases should not be overlooked, and it should be understood by those who have to deal with this disease, that the discharges from the infected eyes are just as dangerous and will cause the disease just as quickly as the original cause.

The method of preventing this condition was first devised by a man by the name of Crede, and the process is known as the "Crede Method." Its application is very simple and is accomplished by first washing the eyes of the new born child in clean, or better, sterile (boiled) water and then applying to each eye two or three drops of a solution of silver nitrate made by dissolving two parts of silver nitrate in one hundred parts of distilled water. The application is usually made by drawing the lower eye lid down and dropping the solution in the sack thus produced. Should this be neglected and the child's eyes begin to swell, or pus gather between the lids, no time should be lost in calling a physician, and prompt means established to conquer the infection, or the child will inevitably go blind.

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Judge and Mrs. W. C. Ellison Will Get Back Home From California in About Two Weeks.

George Robb Ellison returned today at noon from a month's visit in California, near San Diego, with his parents, Judge and Mrs. W. C. Ellison. Judge and Mrs. Ellison went to California last December for the benefit of Mr. Ellison's health. They will return in probably two or three weeks.

Judge Ellison is very much improved and when he returns he will be in better physical condition than before he took sick last fall. His many friends over the district will be glad to hear this news. Judge Ellison announced his candidacy for re-election as circuit judge a few weeks ago and will make an active campaign for the nomination.

FOR GOVERNMENT ARMOR PLATE.

Bill Passed by Senate Reported Favorably in House.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, April 5.—By a vote of 16 to 6 the house naval affairs committee decided to report favorably to the house on the Tillman bill as passed by the senate, appropriating eleven million dollars for the construction of a government armor plate plant.

SOCIALISTS WIN MILWAUKEE.

Party Returned to Power After One Term Out.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Milwaukee, Wis., April 5.—According to almost complete returns today from yesterday's election, Milwaukee has returned to the socialist ranks in the city government.

WINNING PRIZES.

Lawrence Ogden Took Two Firsts at Kansas City Yesterday.

Lawrence Ogden is winning several prizes with his herd of fifteen Shorthorns at the American Royal stock show at Kansas City. He won first and third prizes in the junior bull class, fourth in the senior bull class and first in the novice or general all-purpose class.

ELKS INSTALL OFFICERS.

C. C. Hellmers is Exalted Ruler for the Ensuing Year.

The Elks lodge held their annual installation of officers last night, followed by a banquet. Those installed were C. C. Hellmers exalted ruler; Walter Todd, leading knight; H. L. Raines, loyal knight; Ben Chandler, lecturing knight; L. E. Forsyth, trustee; Fred Bellows, inner guard.

G. SANGER'S HIGH PRAISE

EDITOR OF MUSICAL OBSERVER LIKED ORCHESTRA.

What Publication Said of Minneapolis Symphony Orchestra at New York Concert.

Gustav Sanger, the well known musician and editor of the Musical Observor wrote as follows of the New York concert of the Minneapolis orchestra March 18, 1912.

One of the pleasantest musical surprises of the season came to New York music lovers and concert-goers on the evening of March 18th, when the Minneapolis symphony orchestra, under the direction of Emil Oberhoffer, gave a first New York concert at Carnegie hall. * * For this first appearance Mr. Oberhoffer had selected a program which challenged criticism with the finest orchestras of the east. A formidable array of compositions—Beethoven's Third Leonore Overture, the First Symphony of Brahms, a Mozart serenade for string orchestra, and Richard Strauss's "Tod und Verklaerung"—gave plentiful opportunity for comparison, which turned out decidedly in favor of the new organization before the evening was half over.

The orchestra is a very large and efficient one. Its string department is headed by Mr. Richard Czerwonky, one of the finest violinists in this country, as concertmaster, is chiefly composed of young men who play with remarkable enthusiasm and devotion; the woodwind is excellent, and the brass of good quality and strength.

Emil Oberhoffer gave convincing evidence of remarkable qualifications as a leader. In the opinion of this writer he is one of the most poetic and musically refined conductors he has ever had the pleasure of hearing. His interpretations of the various compositions were marked by the most artistic clarity, definite understanding and thorough musical expressiveness. The performance on the whole was thoroughly delightful and entirely on a par with what metropolitan audiences expect of a first class orchestra.

Mrs. M. A. Johnston and Mrs. John Swartz and daughter, who have been visiting Mrs. W. F. Moyer, left this morning for their home in Rosendale, Kan.

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Missouri has a great variety of mineral deposits and is one of the chief mining states of the Union; according to State Geologist, H. A. Buehler. The following terse facts show the wide range in mineral wealth, the output of which is valued at more than $55,000,000 annually.

Cobalt occurs near Fredericktown.

Red granite is quarried in Iron and St. Francois counties.

Tungsten is found at the Einstein silver mine in Madison county.

Tripoli is extensively quarried in western Newton county.

Pyrite, used in making sulphuric acid, is produced in Franklin county.

Copper has been mined in Madison, Ste. Genevieve, St. Francois, Shannon and Crawford counties.

Nickle has been recovered from the lead, copper, cobalt, nickel ores of Madison county.

Very pure sand, used in the manufacture of plate glass is produced at Pacific and Crystal City.

Oil and gas in small quantity have been encountered at shallow depths near Kansas City.

Mineral waters occur in many natural springs and deep wells scattered over the state.

Missouri produces 50 per cent of the barite mined in the United States. Washington county is the largest producer.

Silver is recovered from the lead ores of southeast Missouri. They carry about one ounce per ton of concentrates.

Gray marble of the finest quality is produced and shipped to all parts of the United States from the quarries at Phenix and Carthage.

Red iron ores are found in the central Ozark region. Brown iron ores occur in most of the countries in the southeastern part of the Ozark region.

Portland cement is manufactured near Kansas City, Hannibal, St. Louis and Cape Girardeau. Over 4,750,000 barrels are produced annually.

Missouri is one of the chief lime producing states. Large plants are located at St. Louis, Springfield, Pierce City, Ash Grove and Ste. Genevieve.

The greatest lead mines in the world are located in St. Francois county. Missouri produces more lead than any foreign country or any other state in the union.

Coal is mined in 30 counties extending from the Iowa to the Kansas state line. The beds vary from 18 to 60 inches thick, and the total output per year is about 4,000,000 tons valued at $7,000,000.

The biggest zinc producing region of the world centers at Joplin, Jasper county. The ores are noted for their purity. There are about 700 zinc mines in this state which produce ores valued at $18,000,000.

St. Louis is the largest fire clay center of the United States. Flint fire clays occur through the Ozark region and kaolin is found in southeast Missouri, of suitable quality for china ware.

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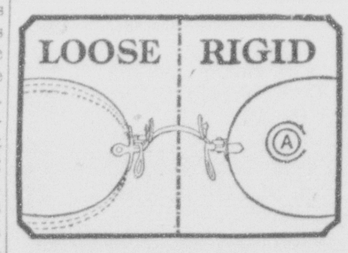

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Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their kindness and assistance during the illness and death of our daughter, Helen.—Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Green.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

Following is a list of the letters remaining unclaimed in the Maryville, Mo., postoffice for the week ending, Wednesday, April 5, 1916.

Men

Anderson, Will
Kent, J. E.
McLeod, Homer P.
Mitchell, Wm. F.
Moon, Adelbert E.
Tucker, Dr. A. O.
Tolden, Cyrus

Women.

Powers, Miss Alice
Davis, Mrs. Laura
Hunter, Mrs. Mattie
Knox, Miss Sadie
Waurdin, Miss Nettie Ma

Miscellaneous.

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Rebekahs to Meet.

The Rebekah lodge will meet tomorrow night at 7:30 o'clock at the hall. The drill team is specially requested to be present.

Guests at Bolckow.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Crossan and Mr. and Mrs. Hal Catterson motored to Bolckow Monday and were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lon Craig at dinner.

Royal Neighbors to Meet.

The Royal Neighbors lodge will meet tomorrow afternoon at the Modern Woodmen hall at 2:30 o'clock. A large attendance is desired.

Modern Drama to Meet Thursday.

The Modern Drama department of the Twentieth Century club will meet Thursday night with Miss Beulah Brunner.

Call Meeting of Ladies' Aid.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the First Methodist church will meet at the home of Mrs. W. T. Doyle at 2:30 o'clock. Immediately following the study hour there will be a call meeting of the Ladies' Aid society.

Chafing Dish Party For Isabel and Virginia Worst.

Mrs. Noble Covey is entertaining this evening at her home with a chafing dish party in compliment to her nieces, Isabel and Virginia Worst, who are the guests of their grandmother, Mrs. Isabel Worst. The guests are limited to six girl friends of Isabel and Virginia.

Endeavorers Enjoy Social Evening.

The members of the Christian Endeavor of the First Christian church enjoyed a pleasant evening Tuesday in the church parlors. The regular monthly business meeting was held and plans were made for the annual May morning breakfast, and also decided to have a sunrise prayer meeting at the church at 6 o'clock Easter morning, after the business meeting, games were enjoyed and dainty refreshments served.

Mrs. Halley Hostess.

The M. I. Circle met yesterday afternoon with Mrs. B. C. Halley. The devotions were led by Mrs. W. A. Bailey, the roll call was answered, or rather attempts were made to answer the roll call by naming the city officials, and it was decided that it could be more correctly given next meeting day. Mrs J. E. Melvin read a paper on "Love in Regard to Women and Children," Mrs. Halley conducted the parliamentary drill and Mrs. W. W. Stiwalt was the critic.

Westminster Guild Met. Mrs. Wells to Attend Presbyterial.

Mrs. D. E. Hotchkin entertained the Westminster Guild last evening at her home, on South Buchanan street. The topic of study last night was the third chapter of the study book and life in India was discussed. Those taking part on the program were Misses Bessie Gault, Nora Ritze, Allie Worst and Mrs. C. Edwin Wells. Following the study hour a short business session was held and Mrs. C. Edwin Wells was elected to represent the guild at the Presbyterial meeting, which will be held at Maitland, April 12, 13 and 14. Dainty refreshments were then served by the hostess.

Seafers Given Surprise, Last Night by Domino Players.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Seafers were at home last night when the progressive domino surprisers arrived, as a reporter had innocently given them the "tip." The time was most pleasantly spent, however, with the favorite game and the high score was made by Mrs. Anna Stauble. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by her daughters, Mrs. Fred Curfman and Mrs. Ernest Welborn.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mutz, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Swinford, Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Nixon, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Curfman, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Welborn, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Craven, Mr. and Mrs. Cooper Gooden, Mrs. W. R. Wells, Mrs. John Bantz, Mrs. Anna Stauble, Misses Lou Mutz, Kathleen Wells, Freda Shaffer and Nettie Lindsey.

Farewell Party, Mrs. Stundon Yesterday Afternoon.

Mrs. John Stundon was given a farewell surprise party yesterday afternoon at her home by the members of the Royal Neighbors lodge and a few guests. Mr. and Mrs. Stundon will leave May 1 to make their home in Rochester, Minn. The afternoon was spent informally and music was enjoyed. A dainty two-course luncheon, which was prepared by the members of the lodge, was served.

Those present were: Mesdames Fred Diss, Harley Teaford, E. Tilton, William Tilson, R. E. Thomas, Tony Bluel, Henry Thorp, George Lucas, Omer Wallace, Wesley Howland, Will Foster, Charles Meyers, Mike Lahr, C. E. Jones, J. A. Wallace, George Wallace, W. G. Edwards, Mary Lund, Misses Alma Lucas, Ada Diss, Virginia Lucas, Verna Thomas, Mary and Lelia Stundon and John Curtis Wallace.

Missionary Meeting Yesterday.

The Foreign Missionary society of the Buchanan Street Methodist church met yesterday afternoon in the church parlors. Mrs. Edward Dale was leader for the afternoon. She read a paper on "Critical Moment of China," and Miss Eva Ashford read a paper on "Leaven at Work." Mrs. N. F. Humber read a paper on "The Lesson in the School of Sacrifice." "Woman as a Gospel Worker" was the title of a splendid paper which was read by Mrs. Virginia Osburn. The visitor for the afternoon was Mrs. M. E. McDonald.

Mrs. Edward Dale was elected to attend the state convention of the Woman's Missionary Societies of the state, which will be held at St. Joseph from May 9 to 12.

Compliment to Granddaughters. Mrs. Worst Entertained Yesterday.

Mrs. Isabel Worst entertained with a domino party yesterday afternoon from 4 until 7 o'clock, in compliment to her little granddaughters, Isabel and Virginia Worst, of Lincoln, Neb., who are her guests. Dominoes were played at several tables, and Mary Curnutt won the prize. Following the games dainty refreshments were served by Mrs. Worst, assisted by Jamie Covey.

The guests were: Mildred Shinabargar, Helen Rose and Bernice Crawford, Ruth Miller, Ora May Condon, Mary Curnutt, Betty Harris, Marie Chandler, Elizabeth Keck, Lula Demott, Kathleen and Ethel Wallace, Roberta Wells, Halcyon Hooker, Odessa Wells and Merle Ford.

Mrs. Brink Hostess Entertained Loyal Women.

Mrs. J. R. Brink entertained the members of the Loyal Women's Sunday school class of the First Christian church at her home last night. The time was pleasantly passed with guessing contests, giving Bible proverbs, and a spelling match of Bible names was also very interesting. Some time ago each member of the class pledged to earn $1 by Easter, to be given to an orphanage in St Louis, and last night the different members told how they made or earned their dollar. Mrs. George Wallace told of her experience in an original poem and Mrs. C. E. Cook gave a very interesting talk on "Means of Obtaining Money for Easter Collection." A delicious luncheon was served by the hostess.

Those present were: Mesdames Henry Trullinger, Henry Westfall, William Armstrong, C. B Roberts, Vada Halley, C. E. Cook, J. D. Dickerson, A. Gilmore, Belle Davenport, S. S. Allen, R. L. McDougal, George Wallace, Mary Neal, Misses Laura and Florence Young, and Mr. and Mrs. C. Emerson Miller.

Celebrate Anniversary, Mickelson Home, Near Conception.

Mr. and Mrs. Heber Mickelson of Conception Junction were married twenty years Friday, March 31, and Mrs. Mickelson planned a surprise dinner for her husband in observance of the occasion. At 6 o'clock a delicious dinner was served by Mrs. Mickelson, assisted by Mrs. James Devine and Mrs. Alec Jensen. After din-

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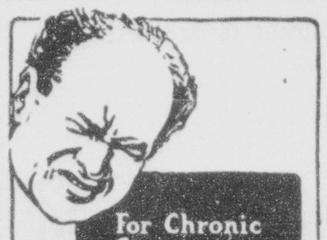

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NEWS OF SOCIETY AND WOMEN'S CLUBS

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ner the time was most enjoyably spent with games and music, and at a late hour the guests departed for their homes, wishing Mr. and Mrs. Mickelson many more happy anniversaries.

The invited guests were Mr. and Mrs. James Devine, Mr. and Mrs. Alec Jensen, Mr. and Mrs. James Hanson, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Froyd, Mr. and Mrs. Inez Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Coulter, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jensen, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Kalstrup, Mr. and Mrs. Rass Lorenson, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Jensen, Mrs. Katherine Hansen, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Coulter, Mr. and Mrs. Nels Barsball, Lee Barsball, Fred Barsball, Andrew Hanson, Kent Coulter, Flossie Heflin, Emma Jensen, Edna Coulter, Lola Coulter, Raymond Jensen, Fred Hanson, Henry Hanson, Mary Coulter, Ed Jensen, Mabel Froyd, Milan Froyd, Helen Devine, Clifford Froyd, Anna Coulter, Marguerite Anderson, Fred Coulter, Lehman Hanson, Keren and Kermit Coulter, Myrtle Coulter, Leonard Froyd, Bacile Mickelson, Jesse Mickelson, Ermil Mickelson.

Mrs. Speirs Entertains.

Mrs. J. A. Speirs entertained at 12 o'clock dinner yesterday, when her guests were: Mrs. Frank Foy of Ottumwa, Ia., and Mrs. O. P. Roney of Burlington Junction, who are guests at the Speirs home.

Weekly Club Entertained Hoagland Home Last Evening.

Mrs. H. M. Hoagland and daughter, Miss Beulah, entertained the members of the Weekly club of Skidmore at their home last evening. The time was spent with games and music, after which dainty refreshments were served.

Those present were: Mesdames Dale Bagby, William Bodle, Wilbur Bodle and son, Tena McClain, Elsie Bodle and children, Art Hill and children, John Bodle and son, Charles Beverlin, Laura Sharp, aKte Masters, George Patterson, Misses Susan Miller, Nancy Milton and Jessie McClain.

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COUNTY ELECTIONS

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a new member of the board, the others being re-elected.

C. A. Wolfers, J. C. Shuff, W. E. Johnson, F. M. Wallis and J. W. Wiley were elected members of the Pickering town board. The school directors were named as follows: For three years, James Neal and Wilbur Smith; for two years, Roland Wray.

J. E. Akey was Barnard's choice for mayor. The members of the new town board are: J. R. Strader, R. E. Cook, C. E. Goff and G. W. Cole. The school directors elected were: S. E. Roach and J. A. Snyder. Not a single "no" vote was cast against the 60-cent school levy.

J. O. Miller, the lumberman at Skidmore, was elected mayor yesterday, Wayman McGinnis, marshal, and Charles Geyer, collector. The two members of the town board elected were: Mark Loucks, in the west ward and Albert Logan in the east ward. J. W. Rodman and M. A. Sewell were re-elected on the school board. The usual school levy was voted without opposition.

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State of Missouri, county of Nodaway, ss.

Before me, a notary public in and for the state and county aforesaid, personally appeared Walter S. Todd, who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the business manager of The Democrat-Forum, and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management, circulation, etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the act of August, 24, 1912, embodied in section 443, postal laws and regulations, to-wit:

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WALTER S. TODD.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 5th day of April, 1916.

(Seal) MARTIN A. LEWIS,

(My commission expires July 18, 1918.)

Joseph Jackson, Sr., today purchased an Oldsmobile eight touring car of Wadley Bros.

MAILS BY THE AIR PLEASE AVIATORS

Expert Describes Machines Government Would Need.

TO CONQUER WINTER'S ICE.

Routes In Alaska and Massachusetts Could Be Covered In All Kinds of Weather With Aviation Service—Officials Think a Tremendous Amount of Money Would Be Saved.

Aviators of the country are looking with pleasure toward the scheme that the United States proposes to conquer the rigors of Massachusetts bay and ice imprisoned Alaska in order to get the mails through to sections that are usually isolated during the winter. The postoffice department has asked bids for contracts and machines to carry the mails in these sections.

If this plan proves successful it will go far to determine the practical use of aeroplanes in wartime, and the United States is said to be utilizing this scheme to determine the best kind of air craft for use during conflicts.

Charles A. Wright of Riverton, N. J., is the president of the Aviation league, which trains young men to fly. He is an enthusiast in aviation and regards the proposed federal mail scheme as a sane way to carry the mails, but he takes issue with the federal bids in calling for aeroplanes of the description included in the proposals.

Heavier Machines Needed.

"This plan is workable," said Mr. Wright, "but the government should at least be prepared to spend $5 a mile on the experiment. However, to carry such mails as Uncle Sam wishes the government must construct heavier machines than any that are in use in this country.

"Only one machine was ever built in this country that would fulfill the requirements—the America, built by Rodman Wanamaker to cross the Atlantic. This machine has a carrying capacity of 4,500 pounds, which is 1,500 in excess of that demanded by the government. The America cost $80,000 to build. This makes the cost of a suitable machine alone three times as great as the United States wishes to pay.

"The practical use of the aeroplane as a commercial factor is in the air, so to speak. It costs too much to use them in this way just now, though in the European war they are demonstrating their value in every possible manner, especially in being the men-of-war of the air."

R. W. Knight, vice president of the Aviation league, coincided with President Wright's remarks, but added that it would be an easy matter to get plenty of machines that could transport 500 pounds of mail easily.

Routes and Service.

The routes and character of service now advertised and the cost of the present service follow:

MASSACHUSETTS.

From New Bedford by Wood's Hole and Oak Bluffs to Nantucket, fifty-six miles and return, thirteen times a week from June 15 to Sept. 14 and six times a week during the remaining nine months of the year; weight limit, 3,000 pounds per trip; cost of present service, $25,000 a year.

ALASKA.

From Valdez to Fairbanks, 358 miles, three times a week all the year for transportation of 1,000 (or 3,000) pounds of mail each trip; running time, two days; cost of present service, $127,580 a year.

From Fairbanks to Tanana, 162 miles, three times a week all the year, for transportation of 1,000 (or 2,000) pounds of mail each trip; running time, twenty-four hours; cost of present service, $23,153.84 a year.

From Tanana to Kaltag, 381 miles, twice a week all the year, for transportation of 800 (or 1,600) pounds of mail each trip; running time, two days; cost of present service, $37,722.49 a year.

From Kaltag to Nome, 225 miles, twice a week all the year, for transportation of 600 (or 1,200) pounds of mail each trip; running time, two days; cost of present service, $15,960 a year.

From Seward to Iditarod, 380 miles, twice a week all the year, for transportation of 1,000 (or 2,000) pounds of mail each trip; running time, two days; cost of present service, $22,805 a year.

From Iditarod to Nome, 280 miles, twice a week all the year, for transportation of 800 (or 1,600) pounds of mail each trip; running time, twenty-four hours; cost of present service, $24,862.12 a year.

From Seward to Anchorage, 110 miles, twice a week all the year, for transportation of 500 (or 1,000) pounds of mail each trip; running time, ten hours; cost of present service, $4,320 a year.

If the exacting weather conditions and weight requirements of the Massachusetts route can be met by aerial carriers it presents an excellent opportunity for improvement of mail service by this means.

Need of improvement of the Alaskan mail service is clear, and it is believed the aeroplane offers a practical means of providing better facilities there.

SEAPLANES FOR PHILIPPINES.

Four Army Machines Added to Second Aero Squadron.

Four of the United States army's new hydroaeroplanes, which have been given tests in San Diego, Cal., by Floyd Smith, a civilian aviator, are to be shipped to Manila for duty in the Second aero squadron. Three of the machines have established altitude and passenger carrying records.

The new hydroaeroplanes are the largest in the service of the United States. They can be operated for approximately 500 miles without alighting for fuel.

MARKET REPORTS

TODAY'S MARKETS BY WIRE.

Grain Market Futures.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City, April 5.—WHEAT—May, $1.07¼; July, $1.10⅜c.

CORN—May, 69⅝c; July, 71⅜c.

Kansas City Live Stock.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City, April 5.—CATTLE—Receipts, 4,000. Market 15c higher; steers, $8.90@9.75; cows, $5@9.80.

HOGS—Receipts, 11,000. Market 10c higher; top, $9.60; bulk, $9.30@9.55.

SHEEP—Receipts, 7,000. Market steady.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, April 5.—CATTLE—Receipts, 9,000. Market 10c higher. Estimate tomorrow, 4,000.

HOGS—Receipts, 23,000. Market 5c higher; top, $9.85. Estimate tomorrow, 22,000.

SHEEP—Receipts, 15,000. Market steady.

St. Joseph Live Stock.

St. Joseph, April 5—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,400. Market 10c higher.

HOGS—Receipts, 5,200. Market 5c higher; top, $9.60.

SHEEP—Receipts, 2,000. Market steady.

Produce Markets.

Furnished daily by Frost & Speirs.

Eggs, doz	17c
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Hens, per lb	12c
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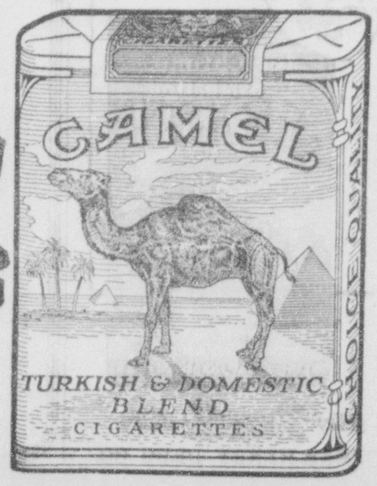

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Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

Miscellaneous.

ROY GROSS solicits your painting and paper hanging. Satisfaction guaranteed. Call headquarters at Holt's implement store, either phone. 30-5

WANTED TO BUY—Young calves. Call Farmers phone 25-16. Henry N. Moore. 28-tf

WANTED—China fired at reasonable prices. Mrs. J. A. Speirs, 115 South Buchanan, Hanamo 633. 28-tf

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EVERBEARING STRAWBERRY PLANTS—Progressives, the kind that bear the finest berries, from the spring's setting, from July until late October. 100, $1.50; 300, $4.25; 500, 6.75. Rev. W. H. Rust, Burlington Junction, Mo. 3-5*

For Rent.

ROOMS FOR RENT—2 large rooms, nicely furnished, with or without light housekeeping in modern house; reasonable. 304 West Third, phone 3121. 4-6*

Wanted.

WANTED—Washings to do. Call Hanamo 6662. 3-5.

WANTED—Experienced girl for general housework. Hanamo 412. 4-6

WANTED—Married man to work on farm by month. Wells Bros. Hanamo 552J. 3-8

WANTED—Single man to work on farm by month. Also girl to do housework for several months. Inquire here. 2-5

WANTED—Good boy, bright and intelligent, to learn cigar trade; no cigarette fiends need apply. John Hansen. 3-5.

WANTED—Married man for work on farm. Inquire at Hosmer building, Third and Buchanan streets. 5-7*

Lost.

LOST—Pair glasses in case, name W. B. Finn on case, evening of March 28. Return here. Reward. 3-5*

LOST—2 dachshund dogs male and female. Reward for their return. Call Lewis White, Far. phone 30-16. 4-6*

For Sale.

FOR SALE—Good barn hay, 14 head draft horses and mares, 3 and 4 years old, well broke; wood of all kinds, prices right. Saunders Bros., Hanamo 3698. 26-tf

FOR SALE—Three 8-foot plate glass show cases with marble base, iron safe, Oliver typewriter. Holmes & Wolfert. 3-5.

OLD PAPERS FOR SALE—5c per bundle. Call at this office.

FOR SALE—Everbearing strawberry plants, 50 for $1.00; 100 for $1.50. A. N. Reese, 116 North Depot. 3-5

FOR SALE—Dining room table, Singer sewing machine, drop head, rocker, iron bed, springs and mattress, Princess dresser and commode. 322 South Main. 3-5

FOR SALE—Tomato plants, all kinds, all sizes, all prices, 15c to 60c per dozen. Plant Early June and you'll have them soon. Come and see them. Kuster's Greenhouses, North Main, Maryville, Farmer's phone 76-15.

FOR SALE—S. C. R. R. eggs from a laying strain, 50c per 15. L. H. Geist, Hanamo phone 3056. 5-7

John Herron, who has been seriously ill, is improving at his home, on West Third street.